

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: KIM Y. KAO ET AL. Application No.: Filed: November 7, 2000 For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SELECTING, MONITORING, AND CONTROLLING ELECTRICALLY POWERED DEVICES	[Examiner: K. Schuster] [Art Group: 2182]
DIVISIONAL of Application: Application No.: 09/088,213 Filed: May 29, 1998	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

The subject Application, a divisional of the above-identified parent Application, is being filed concurrently. Applicant respectfully requests amending the subject Application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 1, lines 2-5, please delete the entire paragraph and insert the following:

A1 -- This is a divisional of Application No. 09/088,213, filed May 29, 1999, which is a continuation -in-part patent application of U.S. Patent No. 5,901,067--.